PATENT 0425-0754P

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Applicant:

TADOKORO et al.

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Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 January 31, 2005

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

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| FIRST PRESENTATION OF A MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM | | | | | | \$360 | \$0.00 |
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Respectfully submitted,

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REPLY UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action of August 30, 2004, the period for response having been extended one month, the following amendments and remarks are submitted in connection with the above-identified application.

This response includes:

Amendments to the Claims, and

Remarks.

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